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ton City, is sick.

Barnum's circus.

relatives in the North.

Kansas City this afternoon

on Decoration day, May 30.

Is pre-aminently a family paper. It is conservative and pure in tene. Nothing of an unclean nature ever gets into its columns.

The LEDGER has the Largest Circulation of any paper in the county.

HE .:- LEDGER. VOL. XXXII. CJACOBS OIL A Visitor Has a Word to Say Regarding the Coming Ex-George Longman, Esq., editor of the Rural World, was in Mexico last week and in his this week's paper

EMEDY PAIN tary, J. A. Glandon, or any other FOR RHEUMATISM. THE PROPERTY A. VOGELER CO., Baltimore, Md. order, and will, in the course of a

MACOBS OI

Bear the Hardin College chapel. Fair-time appearance. No associa-Gar ready to vote for your "best tion in the State is better furnish-1." The LEDGER will do the rest, ed with stalls and stables, or indeed THE races for Recorder and Colctor are getting warmer and Merico will have a big military the Fair met in the ample and

compment and sham battle when beautiful parlors of the Ringo House, among them being President of the Audrain County MEDLEY and Sims appear to be Fair Association, W. J. Botts; the

sting along very nicely in the co for Representative. Secretary, J. A. Glandon; the Treasurer, Hon. C. F. Clark; the Tra editors of the Mexico papers Vice-President, C. W. Lewis; Col. eneither one running for Con-Green Clay and R. M. White,

EVERYBODY in Mexico is interestin the movement to erect a spel for Hardin College.

A BOARD OF TRADE could insure the elevator, a chapel for Harn College and the military en-

m-is being torn down to make to run the machine, are at hand om for new buildings.

GOVERNOR FRANCIS is giving his record attention to the penipiary and will make it more of WHY can't we have the same stock last week. He was one of

oming off in Audrain county? mond to the casual visitor, per-Is it the Wheel, or the Republiwho are members of the heel, that are furnishing resoluas by the yard, mile or league? to a fault, of pure mind and heart, THE Brown Tobacco Company of and no one who had experience intgomery City, Mo., is figuring with him will ever forget the great moving to Jerseyville, Ill. big hearted grip with which he here is the Mexico Board of shook him by the hand.

MONTGOMERY CITY has a dandy court house which was erect- fitted anew, and in the hands of its with private funds and was new proprietor will make many friends. e court house war is over and rything is screne over there.

Here are 65 cents; I will hand superior saddle horse. the other 35 cents as soon as I | County Court Proceedings. the Board of Equalization."

Tas Fulton papers are loud in districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided and otherwise

No. 50.

Court adjourned to May 15.

EMERAL sympathy will be felt It was also ordered that T. J. b of July. A scarcity of ice or 50.

J. A. Guthrie, 3 days justice A MEXICO poet calls the ladies matter signals' and boldly says see them out calling is a sure to fan approaching storm. We county court.

County court.

S. C. Flynt, same and mileage S. E. Kendall, same.

L. T. Shootman, extra work as janitor court house. n of an approaching storm. We not be much of a weather sticator, but we'll venture usertion that there'll be a ill" over in the M. P.'s part of

that Carlisle was beastly at Senator Beck's funeral. d not fall down, nor did he

R. M. WHITE, Editor and Proprietor.]

THE MEXICO FAIR.

hibition-A Pleasant

Drive.

We spent a day in Mexico last

veek and met many of those

prominently identified with the

orthcoming Fair. Everything

general verdict, and nothing will

be left undone either by the in-

dustrious and level-headed Secre-

officer to insure success. We

drove to the Fair Grounds, more

couple of weeks, have its usual

with better accommodations for

In the afternoon quite a number

of the gentlemen identified with

editor of the LEDGER, and with

them discussed matters of moment

connected with the coming meet-

ing. Much was developed which

will appear presently, but all tend-

ing to the one conclusion stated

above. The Fair will be a great

success, because all the energy of

the present, all the intelligence

based upon the experience of the

The association has suffered in

came to his death so unfortunately

by an accident at Bloomington, Ill.,

when on his way to Chicago with

haps, but to those who knew him

most and best one of the most

stock or stockmen.

To Our Pride in the Past and Our Hope for the Future, Let Us Add Vigorous Work in the Living Present.

MEXICO, MISSOURI, THURSDAY, MAY 15, 1890.

WEATHER SIGNALS. Written for and published in the Denver Why. The Cronin Murderers in Joliet When the sunshine is warm and the

clouds have all gone And the air is quite balmy and Then my wife puts finery on And remarks, "I'll go calling to

down the street-On her way to Mrs. Brown's

Mrs. Jones, When each of those ladies (ho strange they don't meet) looks bright and promising, is the Rings my doorbell in clangorou

"It's too bad! How provoking! W so much regret To find dear Mrs. B. is away;

Now do tell her to come.' know they don't fret for a drive than anything else, but For so many more calls they found the track was being put in So it's hither and thither the pretty ones flit.

And we wonder what they stay. Just a moment, head covered, smothered they sit-"O don't go!" "Yes we have to

Good day!" Thus on these "weather-breeders," the ladies, go 'round.

The sure sign of a threatening And the woodchuck disgusted goe into the ground, While the "rain-crow" is "all

of form." clamorous squall, Splits the air when

has begun; For his prognostic powers and gaudi-E'en his voice and his strut ar

Neither dark-centered flag, nor mercury's range, Is the sign where my weather hop hangs;

"Old Probs" is a failure, but I'm sure of a change When I see my wife curling her bangs the late residence of 'Squire Gil- past, and all the money necessary Say, now; get you a wife. Old Saus

sure. I know. A hygrometer made of her hair; But you take the whole She'll ne'er fail to go the loss of Mr. R. C. Graham, who When the weather is dangerously

> fair. You needn't twist up your neck at the flags till it hurts.

Nor on signals and cyclones en mony in the contest for Con-the hardest workers on the board large; that we have in other con-of directors. An unpolished dia-She's a whole meteorological outfit in skirts.

And-you are "the sergeant in charge." JAMES NEWTON BASKETT.

whole-hearted, genial, manly, men MEXICO, MISSOURI. one ever met. He was hospitable Pick up a type and look at it bit of cold, fragile metal, so small that it almost eludes the grasp. To the touch it is dull and irresponsive, and its delicate brightness The Ringo House is in new vanishes forever with a breath. hands, painted, burnished and re-Yet there is a magical something embodied in it that clothes it with Mr. Lan B. Morris undertook marked an epoch in the world's president; R. P. Tansey, vice- man of Coffee county, Ga., who Robert-stay, the captains decided the drive to the Fair Grounds be- vast history. Upon that day light hind his team of black geldings, and dawned, intelligence began to be and F. A. Wann, assistant secre- He still uses his old flint-and-steel is believed that they have anchor- hurt Friday by being struck with made short work of it. Talking of spread, superstitions fled and a tary. Twenty-three thousand one rifle and can cut a turkey's head ed him to the bottom about a mile a lump of coal, which fell off an of the political pot. There is the team suggests the point that new order of things appeared. hundred and two votes out of off at seventy-five yards. He must off shore. be a contest for Coroner. Dr. there are few places in the State That small, insignificant type that 45,038 were cast. tts to-day enters the race, and, where better ones can be found than one might cast aside as far beneath we are informed, all the entries in Mexico. Mr. Morris' horses notice had wrought a revolution! in, with Cave and Fritts as are black, 16 hands, weigh 1.150 From that little, unromantic Gersame sire, (the saddle stallion, Black Squirrel,) and most beautiful
while its influence has a reshall specified out one shall seem to be seed their golden wedding in the people of Columbia and vibrated their golden wedding in the that city yesterday. They are

It was ordered by the Court that district No. 8, composed of school me in that city by the Mex'co arate road district, known as while his income from the plat- The meeting will begin the first as a judge of law. esters, under the management district No. 51, and that road dislies, was a grand success finan-road district, known as district lications of his sermons, and \$5,- their best thoughts." 000 as editor of a religious journal, and also receives a handsome sum the small boy who looks Farrington be appointed overseer from his Friday evening lectures or consolation he gives them.

six of which were faster than 2:20. 50 With over 800 additions, the turf is not likely to be seriously crip-2 50 pled by the losses of death. Belmont is decidedly the greatest stallion that has died during the year. Other prominent stallions when his "Weather Signal" DEAR FRIEND: A meeting of the brother to Nutwood; Daniel Lamher friends see his latest pro- Black Horse Co. is called at my bert, Don Cossack, Gideon, Gen. in print. Nobody but a house in Warrenton, Va., on the Stanton, Manchester and Mohican would have the impudence to 20th of May, the purposes of which all producing sons of Hambleinsignate that a party of are, first, to reorganize the old toman. Among the great broad company and endeavor to keep mares were Jessie Pepper, Kate alive the friendships, and, as far Bradley, Lady Finch, Nell and Globe-Democrat on Thursday as possible, the associations of the Reina Victoria, which had all war. Secondly, to arrange to meet lived long and usefully.

How beautiful it is to see a hus- Special Dispatch to the Ledger. New Yerk, May 8.—News was end. our comrades in Richmond on the How beautiful it is to see a flustration of the community of the Chinese are in some respects band display love and tenderness received in this city early this aken and among other attending the unveiling of the to his wife! The papers told last morning that the Chenango County far in advance of our boasted civil-Joe Rickey, of Missouri, You are cordially invited. Oblige me by extending this invitation to this better half fairly makes us ordinary husbands sink into insignifulation. When a nouse in the large poor house at Preston, this State, ization. When a nouse in the poor house at Preston, this State, ization. When a nouse in the poor house at Preston, this State, ization. When a nouse in the poor house at Preston, this State, ization. When a nouse in the poor house at Preston, this State, ization. When a nouse in the poor house at Preston, this State, ization. When a nouse in the poor house at Preston, this State, ization. When a nouse in the poor house at Preston, this State, ization. When a nouse in the poor house at Preston, this State, ization. When a nouse in the poor house at Preston, this State, ization. When a nouse in the poor house at Preston, this State, ization. When a nouse in the poor house at Preston, this State, ization. When a nouse in the poor house at Preston, this State, ization. When a nouse in the poor house at Preston, this State, ization. When a nouse in the poor house at Preston, this State, ization. When a nouse in the poor house at Preston, this State, ization. When a nouse in the poor house at Preston, this State, ization. When a nouse in the poor house at Preston, the poor icance. His wife was sick, but given have been received. this only strengthened his love for WILLIAM H. PAYNE. her, so he took her up carefully in Round trip tickets from St. his arms and carrying her out into the warm sunlight, he proceeded Mrs. R. E. Lawder returned with her to the barn yard, where E Harrison shipped a car from a pleasant visit to Ohio Fri- he held her tenderly while she milked three cows.-Ex.

ATTEMPT AT ESCAPE.

Prison Form a Conspiracy to Escape—The Attempt Frustrated.

spiracy was discovered this morn- City Star. ing at the penitentiary in this city has the following to say of his visit: She is scarce out of sight-only just whereby it was intended that the Cronin murderers and others were to effect their escape. However, the conspiracy was discovered before anything was accomplished. Burke and three other convicts tion. were searched and each was found to have a large roll of money. Burke also had a bottle of whiskey and a number of other contraband covery of the attempt at escape. It ple drink would kill fish quicker one of the convicts, led to the disalso conveyed the information that than Chicago water. found to contain several packages fashion.

> tentiary all morning. I. J. Sims' Appointments. I will meet the citizens of Audrain county and address them at to meet me at each place at the of his patriotic impulses. appointed time and divide time with me. All candidates are invited to attend these meetings:

Macedonia school house, May 15 Pisgah school house, May 16.

p. m. Pleasant May 19.
Gant school house, May 20.
Union school house, May 21.
Cedar Grove school house, May

21, at 2. m. Jackson school house, May 22 Mexico, May 23. I, J. SIMS.

Cedar City, Mo., and leased to the An old building in Covington. sey, Arthur Lee, Eleneious Smith, of Boston. The following officers dignity and power. Its discovery were elected: Bradley D. Lee, Mr. Youngblood is an old gentle- ars that a bob-stay was short for

A Big Camp-meeting.

A Lie on Carlisle.

those who hear or read after him pay was intoxicated at the funeral of lies and 1,584 dailies. high for all the religious comfort Senator Beck in Washington is "a they deserve.

Norton and Wanamaker.

From the St. Louis Republic. out to this day, and is Mr. Wanamaker must find time on the old plantation. from his Sunday School and his by the House. Another Horror.

DRUNKENNESS LIQUOR HABIT. BY MAHRES GOLDEN SPECIFIC - pays till it is time to take off

There are thirty-seven divorce cases on the court docket at Nevada. There ought to be some way by which men and women can find out how mean each other are JOLIET, ILL., May 8.—A con- without getting married.—Kansas pay their assessments to the Coun-

On the west coast of Africa there on the west coase of Africa
are now 200 churches, 33,000 converts, 100,000 adherents, 2,750
schools and 30,000 pupils. Religcounty Clerk.
County Clerk.
County Attorney.
Sheriff. into thirty-five dialects of the sec-Some envious journal remarks of Chicago's water supply: "No fish could live in such water, and articles. A letter found on Myers, it." Most of the fluids which peo-

Barrett, foreman of the cooper Up to the year 1400 all the shop in the prison, had been act- women of England and France who ing intermediary between the rode horseback rode man-fashion. convicts and their friends outside, Then the old baldheads got in the carrying letters, money, whisky, habit of sitting on the fence to see delicacies, etc., to them. Barrett's them go by, and the women got buggy, upon examination, was mad about it and changed the

for the convicts which the prison | The deepest well in the world is rules strictly forbid. Barrett was soon to be dug in the environs of dismissed from the prison service London. It will be nearly 1,300 and the solitary cells were filled feet deep, and will be furnished with convicts who were parties to with stairs and be illuminated, The the conspiracy. There has been object of the well is to enable the And the pea-cock no longer, with intense excitement at the peni- students to observe the various geological strata.

The taxes on 100 acres of land in Samoa are only thirty-nine cents per year, and if the owner growls the following times and places the about that, the tax receiver sends time of speaking at 7:30 o'clock, p. him a present of \$2 worth of m., at each place, and I would re- whisky, and begs that he won't let spectfully invite Mr. A. B. Medley his angry passions get the better

An Indiana paper tells of a girl 17 years of age in Mitchell county, that State, who took a kicking horse by the hind leg and held him Thompson school house, May 17. quiet while the blacksmith nailed Naylor school house, May 17, at on the shoe. She has no photographs tor sale, and her father doesn't allow her to have any young man hanging around.

Still Offered. The offer of the Philadelphia News to give any one \$500 in cash who can prove a straight case of taith cure is still open to all comfeet long, and with a mouth large ers, and although made a year ago, enough to take in a pork barrel, make up the \$500 for the mile of the next highest number next, etc., no one has come forward with the The annual meeting of the Louis- documents. Can it be possible sailor trying to beat the story. iana & Missouri Railroad Co., a that the "cure" doesn't cure?

How insignificant it is! Simply a Alton road, was held yesterday at Ky., had stood at a pitch for ten the Alton freight offices in this city.
The following directors were elected:
John J. Mitchell, R. P. Tanwhen a couple of workingmen sat down in its shade to eat their din-John P. Ellis and Bradley D. Lee, broke their bones and laid 'em up The trustees were all old sea cap-

president; C. H. Foster, secretary, has killed 993 deer in his time. that something must be done. It have had a hard battle with his conscience to refrain from making Rev. M. L. Gray writes that the number of deer he has killed Magaret, of Shelbyville, Ill., celean even thousand.

until its influence has reached one-half mile south of Columbia Callaway county bar have request- hale and vigorous, attending to officiated. the goes up to his creditor and, fine steppers, well broke to drive ng him a silver dollar, says single or double, and one a very mart of trade, and every profested for the promotion of Christianity. This cases where Judge Jno. A. Hocka-joiced over the happy event. J. ground is well adapted to such day, recently appointed to fill the M. Pollard, of this city, is one of of the Barre Bros. of the southern Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage is said purposes and is entirely surround- unexpired term of Judge Burck- the children. to make more money than the ed by the lands of the State farm, hartt, deceased, is interested. The President. His salary from his thus giving the association com- request is certainly very compliir praise of the entertainment and school districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided fresident. His salary from his districts 2-3, and 4-52-6, be divided from his districts 2-3, and

Prof. Treloar. The enterprise, trict No. 51, and that road district No. 51, and that road distr trict No. 9, composed of school as single firm for the advance pubare now engaged and will furnish States. In 1870 there were 5,871; all the capital, and merely wait for night. Admission, 10 and 15 cts. this year there are 16,365, the total the world to go ahead. for the United States and Canada A Lie on Carlisle.

From the St. Louis Republic.

We are assured on unquestion
The total population of the earth is about 1,200,000,000, of which but 13,000 periodicals printed in 36,214,000 die yearly, 98,480 daily, during the month of April. Mrs.

J. C. Durham the small boy who looks Farrington be appointed overseer and from the royalties on his able authority that the Washington the whole world. Now, however, 4,020 every hour and 67 every J. Barnes brought 184 dozen and geon, spent the fore part of the of fire crackers on the coming Crane, overseer of road district No. books. It pays a man like Tal- dispatch in the Globe-Democrat to there are in the United States mage to be pious, and he makes the effect that ex-Speaker Carlisle alone 12,791 weeklies, 1,990 month36,792,000 yearly, 1,000,800 daily, others brought in nearly as many.

Mrs. Dives, of Lee county, Ga., positive, unqualified lie." These has an old negro woman who does During the year 1880, 48 horses are the words used by our inform- not know that she is free. When During the year 1880, 48 horses ant, and it is probable that official freedom dawned upon the negroes, with action will be taken in a few days and they all started to leave, this the sheep on Nine Mile Prairie. that will brand the defamers as one who is deaf and cannot talk Mr. Sam Grant says he can see well, could not be made to under- wolves almost any day on his farm. stand it, and she has not found it One is a large black wolf and one about the middle of July. out to this day, and is still living yellow one. They are smart and

The poor editor was dying, and WASHINGTON, D. C., May 5.—My which died were: Nutbourne, the Norton resolution of inquiry as to his illegal use of post-office in- patient's heart, he sadly muttered, but it will not work for Wana. have the largest circulation of any maker against a resolution adopted paper in the county!" Then he shelling in the county i sank back on his pillow and died with a triumphant smile upon his face. He was consistent to the

week of a farmer down in Pennsyl- poor house at Preston, this State, ization. When a house in the country becomes a genuine holiday, take advantage of this summer. State.

Who Dance Must Pay the Fiddler.

Saturday was the last day on which candidates were expected to ty Democratic Committee. The

Butter Record Beaten.

The record of the largest amount of butter ever produced by one cow in one year has been broken by Eurotisama, a Jersey cow owned by D. F. Appleton, of Ipswick, Mass., who, with three days to spare, produced 941 pounds 11 \$52. ounces. The previous record was 936 pounds 133-4 ounces, held by his store a rhubarb leaf that ure excursion to St. Louis at the owned by Dr. William Morrow, of length. Nashville, Tenn. These were actual churn tests. The largest 7 day record of any breed was that of Princess 2d, 46 lbs., 12 1-2 ozs. Princess 2d is a half sister to Khedive's Fancy, the dam of Uproar of St. Lambert, the proper-ty of Geo. A. Morris.

Had a Good Time. It was bedtime, and Willie wa leaving the nursery.

"Come and kiss me good night." "Yes, dearest." "Have you all the beautifu story books you want?"

"Yes, dearest." "And what makes Willie hap-

"Well, you see, I've torn the seat out of my red velvet trouswaist, and, altogether, dearest, I've South. got a pretty doggoned good right to feel comfortable."

He Will Do. The Scotch ship Highlander re ports seeing a basking shark in the Salt River? Indian Ocean that was sixty-five and there is no need of any other The shark is long enough, and has

got mouth enough, for any busi-A young man who went up to

Marblehead from Boston to teach tains, and when he told his schol-

Golden Wedding. Michael Pollard and his wife,

Eiffel and Edison have proposed will locate among us. to build for the Chicago world's the one in Paris, to be lighted by High School will give an elocution- Top Church, near Hallsville, on In the year 1700 there was but 1,000,000 of Mr. Edison's incan-ary contest at the Ferris Grand for the first Sunday in June. Elder The total population of the earth

4,200 every hour, an average of 76 every minute.

hard to catch.

Fair Dates. Following are the dates of th Missouri State Fair Circuit :

Graham, deceased, out to the farm expense of the Mexico LEDGER. make an appraisement of the

Mrs. S. M. Silver, of near Ben-Mrs. Myron Sherman, of Farber died Monday, May 5th.

[\$1.50 PER YEAR, IN ADVANCE

of the estate of R. C. Graham, de-MEXICO LEDGER. Gus Atkins says he expects to be

in Richmond at the unveiling of the Lee monument. Wm. Groves has some spotted Young Ladies! ambs which he wants to sell to

Judge Wm. Stuart and wife are home from a pleasant visit to

Miss Maude Harvey, who is attending Hardin College, left for Pleasure Trip—Decided by There will likely be a couple o good games of base ball in Mexice

John Woods has been awarded the contract for putting a high fence around the city rock pile for Sam Morris has on exhibition at will be sent on a round trip pleas-

Landseer's Faucy, another Jersey, measures two feet nine inches in expense of the Mexico Ledger.

the weekly. He will pay top whom they please. Each vote prices fer all your wool.

Worth, Texas, has been in Mexico with the full name and address of on a visit for the past few days. A Cleveland and Francis Democratic Club was organized Satur-

day in the Gatewood district, out Cleveland and Francis Democrat. contest. George is as happy as a big sun

Rev. E. K. Miller and J. N. Baserets, and the goat has eaten my kett are in St. Louis as delegates committee will remove the same delegates; but Mexico will take sash, and Jakey Ogleheimer has to the Quadrennial General Con- and proceed to count the votes. The care of them. thrown mud all over my fancy ference of the M. E. Church, result of each day's vote will be Such emment divines as Elders

> ris went fishing Thursday. The they have received ten votes. The pected to be present. The conven-Capt. caught a bass that weighed names will stand in the column as four pounds. How's that for the vote stands each day, viz: The

rock road west. This money will all the way through. all be in by the 15th, when the court meets. ness likely to be assigned to him, year-old Cleveland Bay colt to-day be enclosed in an envelope and de- old and dear friends at that time.

> the celt to-day. A little girl in the Sunday School at Quincy, Mass., when asked what a missionary was, replied: "A missionary is a man who comes around

> to get our money." A section hand named Sellers, of Thompson Station, was seriously engine as it passed him.

Frank Pope, of St. Louis, was married Wednesday morning to Miss Eula Martin, a wealthy young brated their golden wedding in lady of Boone county. Rev. J. T. in Denver, Col. M. Johnston, of Jefferson City, John W. Barre, of Pennsylvania.

has been in Mexico and Audrain on a visit this week. He is a brother part of the county and we trust he W. C. Todd was elected city at be served by a committee of ladies

The young ladies of the Union

a prize to the one bringing to his ground to all comers at precisely 1 minute. The number of births is Mrs. J. Hanger 171 dozen. Several week in Centralia. Dr. Pinckney French, of this

city, has been appointed one of the delegates from Missouri to the International Medical Congress which meets in Berlin, Germany, August 4, 1890. Dr. French says he will likely leave for Berlin present week,

Robt, Davis, who was sentenced to jail for twelve days for stealing lumber from C. Wade's furniture ed with the Baptist Church adver- fashion. He desired to move, but store, was Friday brought before tises a strawberry festival for the was compelled to pay a full month's the Probate Court on a writ of evening of May 16th. habeas corpus. The writ was dismissed and the prisoner re- will hold a mass meeting in Cen- notice. He consulted a lawyer, manded to jail. THE LEDGER'S voting contest for Everybody invited to attend.

the two most popular young ladies companied Geo. A. Morris, the ad- St. Louis on a pleasure trip under urday evening, May 17. ministrator of the estate of R. C. the charge of a chaperon, all at the Judge J. H. Shell is home from

a visit to all of his children who Married, in Kansas City Tues- adjoining States. On the 5th of There will be a thousand visitors or two, to the destruction of health, day, May 5, Porter Swan, of this July there will be a grand reunion in attendance, all of whom should temper and happiness, they simply burn the house and the old man goes to his club, his wife to her temperature of the destruction of health, city, to Miss Katie Enright. They of the children and grandchildren of Judge Shell at the old homestew days with the groom's parents. mother's, while the contractor is Rev. E. K. Miller's congregation wife and children are well-known will hold its fourteenth annual money in return, but the jeweler building a new one. Thus the has given him a month's received by all appearance in the River building a new one. building a new one. Thus the has given him a month's vacation, to and beloved by all subscribers reunion in the Ringo House the clocks, so he drove a season so much dreaded in this which the reverend gentleman will to the Ledger in this part of the parlors on Wednesday evening, bargain, accepted \$300 and a country becomes a genuine holiday.

State.

Geo. A. Morris is administrator AT THE EXPENSE OF THE

For the Two Most Popular

Who Live Within Twenty-Five

or Your Pavorites A Delightful a Committee of Three.

The two young ladies, living within 25 miles of Mexico, who receive the greatest number of votes as the most popular young ladies.

Any respectable young lady is Don't fail to see the wool ad-eligible to the trip, and any and vertisement of W. S. Hathaway in every person can and may vote for must be cast upon one of the cou-C. R. Field, one of the most pons, which will be printed prosperous business men of Fort in the LEDGER for that purpose the candidate and of the voter

plainly written thereon. The race will be conducted on a fair square basis, and a committee of the church and their friends for of three of Mexico's best citizens the entertainment of the vast crowd in the Youngs Creek neighborhood. will be selected to count the votes. of delegates and visitors who will Born, to George W. Daniel and No manager or employe of this be present. Frem 900 to 1200 wife, of Vandalia, a ten pound office will be allowed to vote in the delegates are expected and arrange-

of the Ledezz office each day until Doubtless there will be 500 visi-7 o'clock, p. m., at which time the tors to be entertained besides the announced in the paper, and the Thos. P. Haley, Alexander Procname of every person whe is voted tor, John A. Brooks, E. B. Cake. Capt. Buckner and W. A. Mor-for will be published as soon as J. H. Hardin, and others, are experson having the highest number 9, and the address of welcome will

in full as above stated, or they will ably be in attendance, they having Hon. C. F. Clark sold his two- not be counted. The ballot must expressed a desire to mingle with and there is no call for a bigger for \$200 to a man named Lewis posited in the ballot box. The The music will be in charge of from Perry county. He will ship box will remain locked at all times, Simpson Ely and will be a special except when unlocked by the committee, who will count the votes This will be the grandest church afeach evening.

Persons can vote as often as they please, provided, always, the vote is cast on the coupon form printed in the LEDGER.

CENTRALIA MATTERS.

CENTRALIA, Mo., May 10 .- R. T. Willis is in St. Louis on busi-

R. L. Hope and wife are visiting James Reed is on the sick list. Claude White and wife, of Howard county, are visiting friends in Centralia.

torney at the last meeting of the Board of Aldermen.

Gill, of Columbia, will do the preaching and the ladies of the Ladies' Aid Society, has appointed L. P. Crigler, of Worcester, gave church will furnish dinner on the

> J. C. Durham and wife, of Stur-Isom Roberts, of Liberty, is in

Centralia. J. F. Matchett, of Paris, is visiting the family of E. J. Sears. Dr. W. A. McCallister was in Kansas City attending the State Medical Association during the

Miss Bettie Roberts has returned home from a pleasant visit with friends near Hallsville. The Ladies Aid Society con

THE citizens of Mexico should display their usual hospitality in display their usual hospitality in looking after the delegates to the clocks. These the owner set to State meeting of the Christian suit himself and then went out for are scattered over Missouri and Sunday School Convention in June.



THE BIG CONVENTION.

Four Days' Session of the Christian Church State Sunday School Convention to be Held in This City in June.

> School Convention of the Christian Church will meet in this city on June 9th and continue in session four days. Elaborate preparations are in pro-

HE State Sunday

ments are being made to entertain The ballot box will hang in front that many, and more if necessary.

The coupons must be filled out Davis and J. W. Highes will probfeature of the convention exercises. and report the result to this paper fair ever held in Audrain county and every minister, delegate and visitor should and will be made to feel perfectly at home within our gates. To undertake to entertain 1200 or 1500 visitors is no little task, but those who have the matter in hand are progressing quite satisfactorily in procuring entertainment in private families and the different hotels for all who will attend. The ladies of the Aid Society of the Christian Church have undertaken to see that food and shelter are provided for all. and we know it will be done. Those who entertain delegates are only expected to furnish them John Marquette is in Shelbina, lodging and breakfast each night and day. The other meals will furnished by members of the church and friends throughout the ing, the occasion is intended to be

the following committees to solicit entertainment for the delegates and

visitors: First Ward-Mrs. Jos. Spe and Mrs. Capt. Bryan. Second Ward-Mrs. J. E. Moore and Mrs. B. B. Runkle.

Third Ward-Mrs. J. W. Ma son and Mrs. Clark Barnes. Fourth Ward-Mrs. J. M. Davis and Mrs. Col. Hord. Fifth Ward-Mrs. Mary Luckie.

Sixth Ward-Mrs. Joseph Of-

The Jeweler's Revenge.

A St. Louis jeweler outwitted

tutt and Mrs. R. L. Wilburn.

rent of \$200, because he had not The Centralia Farmers' Union given the required thirty days' tralia on Saturday, May 17th. but was assured that the claim was valid. "I can use the store, can I Mrs. J. T. Mitchell is visiting not?" he asked. "Certainly," living within twenty-five miles of her parents at Omaha, Nebrasks. | said the lawyer. His stock had Messrs. B. R. Cauthorn, Judge Mexico will open shortly. These The W. C. T. U., of Centralia, nearly been moved to the new J. E. Ross and Wm. H. White ac- two young ladies will be sent to will elect a new set of officers Sat- store, but the remaining occupant

of the store, who was the landlord was much surprised when the jeweler returned with a select asa walk. Then the alarm clocks began to go off one after the other. with the noise, and he hunted up the jeweler and tendered him hi

is suggestive of a storm.

publishes the following: statue of our great commander. train departed, and that before it left he shook with Mr. Carlisle. The lataddress. Your old comrade, the casual observer that he Louis \$20.25.

hogs to Chicago Friday, day.